

Editor's Report

The following are the original papers behind dispatches carried state-wide Friday and Saturday nights by the Associated Press and United Press. — Alex. H. Washburn

FRIDAY, MAY 17 (Letter)

Employment Security Division
104 Center Street
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Sirs, I am charging political interference by your office in the lawful circulation under the Seventh Amendment to the Constitution of Arkansas of the Petitions to refer the 3% Sales Tax to a popular vote, being the Sponsor of said Petitions.

This week I established state headquarters for the circulation of these Petitions in Room 207, Grady Manning Hotel, Little Rock. I was in that room at 4 o'clock this afternoon preparing to return to Hope for the week-end when the office manager reported to me that after she had made the initial contact with your office to interview job-hunters who might want to work for us as canvassers your office called her back and told her the ESD had been served with a bulletin forbidding it to "produce workers in a matter involving a political controversy."

I then telephoned your office myself and asked what person in the ESD had made that second call to my headquarters. A Miss Frances Mallory told me she had made it.

I asked her to read the bulletin to me. She said it had been issued "some time ago; it was in the files; and not immediately available."

I pointed out to her:

1. That the 3% Sales Tax Petitions are not "a political controversy," but merely the instrument established by the State Constitution to obtain a popular vote — and in any event the Employment Security Division has no discretionary authority whatever to interfere in a constitutional matter. Its sole purpose as a state agency is to find people legitimate jobs — and I was offering said jobs.

2. The ESD "bulletin" referred to by Miss Mallory is a secret and most unusual reversal of public policy — for this same organization furnished me with canvassers whenever requested to do so in the circulation in 1935 of the Animal Feed Exemption Petition, of which I also was Sponsor.

3. I have the right to know who issued this politically-inspired "bulletin" and why the ESD is mixing in affairs other than employment — because the ESD is supported solely by contributions from employers and I am a contributor as the executive officer of two Arkansas companies. I would like to know at just what point the ESD left off serving the unemployed with these company contributions and began issuing "bulletins" in direct conflict with constitutional rights of Arkansas citizens.

4. I asked Miss Mallory if she wished to reconsider her position, or intended to stand on the language of her "bulletin." She told me: "I am under orders — I shall have to stand on the bulletin."

I told her that I would therefore give my story to the press associations, would write this explicit letter to the ESD on my return to Hope tonight — and would post the Petition's attorney on the matter, the same being Mr. Wm. M. Moorhead, of Stuttgart. Which I have done. And, let me remind you that what you have done has been done while the clock is running against me. — ALEX. H. WASHBURN.

SATURDAY, MAY 18 (Telegram)

Senator John L. McClellan
Senator J. W. Fulbright
Representative Oren Harris, M. C.
Washington, D. C.

Yesterday the Little Rock local office of the Arkansas Employment Security Division denied me the right to obtain workers to circulate the Petitions for a popular vote on the 3% Sales Tax.

The agency explained it had received a bulletin some time ago forbidding the sending out of workers on a matter involving QUOTE political controversy UNQUOTE.

I suggest to you that since, as sponsor of the Petitions, I am proceeding under the Seventh Amendment of the Constitution of Arkansas, it is the Arkansas Employment Security Division itself which is engaging in politics — using federal funds to block the people of Arkansas from petitioning for a popular vote. There has been an abrupt and ominous change of policy in this agency since 1935 when it freely furnished me with workers for the Petition to obtain a popular vote on the Animal Feed Tax Exemption law.

Time being of the utmost importance, as my deadline for filing required signatures on the Petitions is June 12, I earnestly ask for a federal investigation of the Arkansas Employment Security Division. — ALEX. H. WASHBURN.

SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS, MAY 19

They quoted James L. Bland, director of the ESD, an appointee of Governor Orval Faubus, as saying at his home in Walnut Ridge:

"It is a broad policy established by me to not participate in recruiting labor for uncertain and part-time labor where controversial issues are involved." Bland said (the press dispatches continued) he began the policy in 1936 and indicated that he had refused a similar request for another petition sponsor.

He added that the ESD had "been criticized by newspapers" for helping find workers for sponsors of petitions.

T. C. Stone, 81, Succumbs in a Prescott Hospital

T. C. Stone, aged 81, died at 8 p. m. Sunday at Sweet Home Cemetery, Rev. J. C. O'Brien and Rev. A. C. Kirby officiated and Herndon-Cornelius was in charge of arrangements.

Autos Damaged in Weekend Wreck

A wreck over the weekend at Third and Laurel streets resulted in heavy damage to two automobiles. City Officers said. Drivers of the vehicles were Monroe Tyree of Blevins and J. F. Rapp of Illinois. Officers charged Tyree with reckless driving.

The first elevator in New York City in 1857 had rich carpets, large mirrors and luxurious sofas on three sides.

Inquiry Into ESD Action Is Underway

Washington (AP) Arkansas members of Congress said today they are checking the Labor Department for information concerning a request by Alex. H. Washburn, Hope, Ark. publisher, for a congressional investigation of the Arkansas Employment Security Division.

Mr. Washburn wired Senators McClellan and Fulbright and Rep. Oren Harris, (Ark.-Democrat) demanding the inquiry.

He told them he had sought to employ workers through the agency to circulate petitions for a referendum on the Arkansas newly enacted law hiking the state sales tax to three per cent. But he said the agency turned him down.

Mr. Washburn said the agency told him it acted on a regulation directing it to refuse workers for matters involved in "political controversy."

Congressman Harris said he is checking the Labor Department about the directive. He said preliminary information indicates a permissive bulletin and not a directive has been sent to state offices. (Permissive bulletin would allow subordinate offices to something while a directive demands they do.)

"Furthermore," Harris said, "I understand that Jim Bland, (head of the State office) is still taking full responsibility for the agency's refusal. If that is the case it seems to be a local matter entirely."

However, he said he is still checking. Aides to Senators McClellan and Fulbright said they were keeping in touch with the matter.

Court Upholds Assessment of Railway

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court today upheld a \$7,000,000 assessment against the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co.'s Arkansas property.

The decision was a victory for the State Public Service Commission which had maintained the higher assessment should apply. The railroad contended the assessment should not exceed \$5,000,000.

The railroad attacked the PSC charging error, arbitrary "yardsticks" to measure values resulting in an inequitable taxation. The high court in a 6-0 opinion upheld the assessment "fair and equitable" and noted it had been used in many other states for years.

The opinion said "some classes of property in Arkansas are assessed at more than 20 per cent; other classes at less; but the state is striving for a 20 per cent; other classes at less; but the state is striving for a 20 per cent figure and in this case, Frisco had filed to show either that the commission was in error in fixing the figure at 20 per cent or that the figure was arbitrary."

\$175 Taken From Implement Co.

Ulfey Implement Co., at 5th and Louisiana was entered sometime Saturday and \$175 in cash is missing. City Police reported Monday.

Also stolen was a 17-jewel wrist watch. Some of the money was in bills and about \$50 in change. Officers are investigating.

Some Interesting Data Gleaned From the Mail

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP)—Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

That you'll probably breathe 593 million times in your lifetime. But holding your breath won't make you last any longer.

That it is estimated women pay more than 80 per cent of all inheritance taxes. For some reason, men are much nicer about leaving money to women than women are to men. Some prefer to leave their money to children, institutions, other women, cats, dogs and parakeets. They just can't stand the thought of a man having fun with their dough after they're gone.

That actor Tom Ewell defines Broadway as "the only place where you don't have to worry about falling in front of your friends. They'll have their backs turned."

That if someone really took the

Arkansas Floods Huge Areas, Residents Safe

By The Associated Press

Thousands of acres of low-lying Arkansas farmlands were flooded by the Arkansas River today, but the high water was not expected to threaten residential areas.

The U. S. Weather Bureau today cut one to two feet off expected crests at danger points along the river. A crest of 32 feet, some 10 feet above flood stage at Fort Smith and Van Buren, had been forecast, but the latest forecast said that the river is not expected to top 29.5 feet. It was 29 feet early today.

The swollen stream will be at or slightly above flood stage during the next few days at Morrilton, Dardanelle, Little Rock and Pine Bluff but there will be little property damage and very little danger to human life.

Crops and possibly livestock will be hardest hit by high water. Many farmers already are far behind schedule with spring planting because of previous flooding and heavy rainfall.

The peak wave of water, the result of rains in southern Kansas and northern Oklahoma, passed Dardanelle yesterday and moved into Arkansas today.

Here are the crests forecast for other Arkansas River points:

"Twenty-five to 26 feet at Ozark tomorrow; 26-27 feet at Dardanelle tomorrow; 30 feet at Morrilton by noon Wednesday; 22-23 feet at Little Rock Thursday morning; and 24-25 at Pine Bluff Friday morning."

"Thousands of acres of bottom-land in the Fort Smith area were threatened today by the rising flood waters of the Arkansas River."

Although nine families along the Oklahoma-Arkansas border were evacuated yesterday from their homes along the river, heavily populated areas were not expected to be endangered.

The crest of the river, swollen by Oklahoma rains, passed Tulsa yesterday and last night the rising water began to overflow in the bottoms of Le Flore County, Okla., adjacent to Sebastian County where Fort Smith, population 24,000, is located.

Three Escaped Convicts Are Captured

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Police acting on a tip, surrounded a Kansas City home today and picked up the third of five prisoners who escaped Sunday after gaining complete control of the Jackson County courthouse and locked up 17 officers and trustees.

The man, Isaac T. Sanders, 23, Kansas City, offered no resistance. Two of the prisoners, all Negroes, were recaptured about an hour after the escape. Two others remain at large.

J. W. Parsons, 74, Longtime Hope Resident, Dies

James W. Parsons, aged 74, died at his home early Sunday morning. He had lived here many years. Survivors include his wife, Mary Ann; one daughter, Mrs. Connie Kinder; Hooks, Texas; Dean Parsons, Texarkana; Woodrow Parsons Hope; five grand children.

Funeral will be held at 10 a. m. Tuesday at Herndon-Cornelius Chapel with Rev. Virgil Keeley in charge. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers, Mid Porter, Grady Beard, Jim James, Y. C. Coleman, Dale Barnum and Ray Turner.

Selective Education Needed — Fulbright

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Sen. Fulbright (D-Ark.) believes there should be "some way of selective education" whereby outstanding students would be picked out and given training fitted to their talents.

At a meeting of the National Citizens Council for Better Schools' southern region here Saturday, Fulbright said many persons had misconstrued Thomas Jefferson's remark about all persons being equal.

In education, the senator said, it must be recognized that all students do not have the same learning abilities.

Fulbright, who once was president of the University of Arkansas, and other panelists agreed that the South has gained quantity in education and now must strive for quality.

On the panel with Fulbright were Hodding Carter, editor of the Delta Democrat-Times, Greenville, Miss.; Harry S. Ashmore, executive editor of the Arkansas Gazette; Dr. John M. Peterson of the Industrial Research and Development Center at the University of Arkansas; and C. B. Gilmore, a Grove Hill, Ala., attorney. Carter acted as moderator.

At Least 8 Meet Death by Violence

By The Associated Press

At least eight persons died violently in Arkansas during the week which ended Sunday midnight and two other persons were missing yesterday, both believed drowned.

Johnson County authorities were dragging Little Piney Creek near Clarksville for Charlie Kirk, 67, of the Lamar community. In northeast Arkansas, Sheriff William Beryman said fishermen still were watching the Mississippi River near Blytheville for a trace of Richard Pugh, about 40, who disappeared Friday.

Sheriff Robert Hardwick said Hink's capsize boat and had been found on Little Piney Creek shortly after his wife reported him missing yesterday.

Hink was last seen Friday afternoon by a neighbor, Hershel Daniel, who helped carry his boat to the creek, Hardwick said. Daniel said Hink, who worked at a Russellville bank, carried no fishing equipment.

The search for Pugh, a rural mail carrier, began when he failed to return after going to the river to set out a trotline. His boat was found capsized several miles downstream.

Other mishaps resulted in three drownings. Traffic accidents claimed three lives and there was a suffocation and a fatal stabbing.

Urges Citizens to Take Part in Cleanup

The effects of an enthusiastically supported Clean Up campaign can bring more business to Hope and thus more money for each of us, Ray Turner, President of Chamber of Commerce said today.

"Tourists, visitors from nearby towns, and industrialists looking for new plant sites don't know what our inner feelings toward our community are. They judge our pride, honesty, energy by the outward appearance of our homes, stores, government. If what they see is attractive and clean, they will stop to learn more about us. If dingy buildings and littered streets greet them, they will pass by and never give us another thought," Mr. Turner said.

"Let's take an example of what a new industry would mean. According to a Finner Carolina Report, every 100 jobs in industry create 264 additional jobs or income equivalent in the community. It means more business for contractors, railroads, truck lines, bigger markets for farm products, more business for retail stores, barber shops and every other facility in the city. It is estimated that for 100 new industrial jobs about \$250,000 of new payroll will be spent locally. The money turns over about five times in goods, services or taxes. Thus, it grows into a million and a quarter dollars of new business for the community," President Turner explained.

"Even a tourist's dollar turns over several times so that we each get a share. Isn't that worth fighting, cleaning, planting and painting for? In addition, we will have the benefit of living in a healthier, safer, more attractive community."

Mr. Turner concluded by urging every citizen to take advantage of the opportunity to help city and self become more prosperous.

Ike Satisfied With Reaction to Budget Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—The White House said today President Eisenhower is satisfied with the public reaction to the radio-TV address he made last week in defense of his \$71,800,000,000 budget.

Press Secretary James C. Hagerty reported this at a news conference. Hagerty declined, however, to say how many messages the White House received after the talk last Tuesday night, or to give the percentage of those agreeing with the President's views.

Eisenhower will make another nationwide radio-TV appearance tomorrow night, this time to ask support of his \$3,880,000,000 foreign aid program.

The President conferred today with Secretary of Defense Wilson. Asked if they discussed the military budget, Wilson smiled and countered:

"What do you think?"

Two liberal groups said during the weekend it is "reckless" and "unjustified" for economy advocates to contend the nation can't afford Eisenhower's record peace-time spending budget.

Declares Beck Guilty of Many Crimes

WASHINGTON (UP)—Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) of the Senate Rackets Committee said today he believes Teamster Union President Dave Beck "has committed many criminal offenses."

McClellan made the charge in a letter to the American Civil Liberties Union, which protested two facets of the committee's treatment of Beck.

Chairman McClellan said he is under federal indictment on an income tax evasion charge and a McClellan statement about Beck's alleged misuse of union funds—"I don't know any word to describe it less than theft."

McClellan replied in a letter to Patrick Murphy Malin, executive director of the Civil Liberties Union.

"The committee recalled Mr. Beck to testify for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to deny, refute or explain the derogatory evidence the committee had received against him. Do you claim that is a violation of civil liberties?"

"Had he not been recalled and given that opportunity, then no doubt you would have charged the committee was unfair and only willing to hear one side—the testimony against him—with-out giving him an opportunity to defend himself or explain his actions," McClellan wrote.

"Regarding your other complaint, may I say that the committee has not convicted Mr. Beck of any crime, although it is my belief that he had committed many criminal offenses," the chairman continued. "As an American citizen as member of Congress, and as chairman of this Senate select committee, I reserve the right to express my views regarding testimony developed before the committee."

"That is a 'civil liberty' I have not surrendered and do not intend to relinquish," McClellan said.

Malin wrote to McClellan May 15 that the Civil Liberties Union supports the committee's aim of more democracy within labor unions. But he said "procedures violative of due process should not be used to achieve the desired objective."

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Federation of Garden Clubs each month designates one home in each Hope Ward a Yard of the Month award — this month the award will go to the home which has done the most in conjunction with the Cleanup-paintup-fixup campaign — the awards will be given at the end of this week — anyone having a deserving neighbor should call Mrs. R. L. Broach.

Openhouse will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 tonight at the National Guard Armory in observance of Armed Forces Day, according to Commander Capt. Cook.

Thousands of retailers from six states are attending the Fall Market in Dallas. Included in the group is Herbert Burns of Hope.

Six Henderson students have been accepted in the University of Arkansas School of Medicine freshman class of 1937. They include Donald G. Browning of Hope, William B. Beatty of Fayette, N. C.,

Decisions in State Supreme Court

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Supreme Court today handed down these decisions:

Southwestern Publishing Co. vs. Jerome M. Ney, appeal from Sebastian Circuit Court, affirmed in part and reversed in part.

Ernest H. Stevens vs. George French, Clay Chancery Court, affirmed.

St. Louis San Francisco Railway Co. vs. Arkansas Public Service Commission, Pulaski Circuit Court, affirmed and remanded.

Warren Trimble and Bobby Dale Williams vs. State, Pulaski Circuit Court, reversed and remanded.

Lawson L. Delony vs. W. S. Tucker, Pulaski Chancery Court, reversed.

City of Little Rock and others vs. Little Rock and Westwood Water and Light District No. 2, Pulaski Chancery Court, reversed.

J. C. Mode vs. Owl Henley, Pulaski Chancery Court, affirmed.

Garland County Election Commission vs. Ernest Ennis, Garland Circuit Court, reversed and remanded.

N. L. Eddy vs. City of Buckner, Lafayette Chancery Court, affirmed.

Scout Board of Review Meets Tuesday

The Spring Boy Scout Board of Review will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the Snyder Hotel.

All Hope scouts who have advanced to second class, first class or earned Merit Badges are urged to appear before the Scouting Advancement Board Tuesday as this will be the final Board of Review until fall.

This Board of Review will be important to those scouts wishing to advance in rank before attending Camp Pioneer this summer. Scoutmaster Mike Schnelker of Troop 62 indicated that eight or ten boys from his troop would attend summer camp this year. The troop plans to attend during the second week session.

The first session of Camp Pioneer, located in the Ouachita Mountains on Mountain Fork River, will open June 10 and continue for six weekly sessions through July 20.

W. H. Randow, Scout Executive of the Caddo Area Council, Texarkana, announced over the week-end from Camp Pioneer, following a Junior Staff Training Session, that Teddy Jones Jr. of Hope, Life Scout and near Eagle Scout, would be on the Junior Staff of Camp Pioneer this summer.

Scoutmaster Schnelker indicated today that Troop 62 sponsored by the First Methodist Church Century Bible Class had been quite

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McClellan Hails Ouster of Beck

WASHINGTON (AP)—Chairman McClellan of the Senate Rackets Investigating Committee, informed today of the ouster of Teamster Union Dave Beck by the AFL-CIO Executive Council, said "All good union people will heartily approve. So will a good citizens everywhere."

Sen. Mundt (R-SD), a committee member, said he hopes the AFL-CIO will now follow through by helping us enact legislation to prevent the recurrence of this type of situation.

Mundt said he was thinking particularly of legislation to "restore democratic government to the members" of labor unions.

The committee spent some time investigating Beck's affairs.

Beck Ousted as V-President of the AFL-CIO

By MAUREEN GOTHLIN

WASHINGTON (UP)—Teamster President Dave Beck was ousted as an AFL-CIO vice president by the AFL-CIO high command today on grounds of "gross misuse" of union funds.

The action came shortly after Beck refused to attend an unprecedented closed-door AFL-CIO trial to answer charges that he had brought the labor movement into "disrepute."

"There is not the faintest question in our minds that he is completely guilty of violating union laws through his use of union money which is a 'sacred trust,'" Meany said.

Meany said the question whether the 62-year-old Teamsters Union chief was guilty of violating federal or state laws involving "theft or embezzlement" was not the concern of the executive council of which Beck had been a member since August, 1933.

Beck had appeared before the council this morning for only a half hour. During his appearance, Beck refused to accept his previous suspension as an AFL-CIO vice president and council member or the AFL-CIO charges against him.

Meany said Beck's removal from the Executive Council and the vice presidency could be appealed at the AFL-CIO convention next December.

Meany said Beck would have to get the Teamsters Union to appeal the action.

The charges against Beck were based on the Senate Rackets committee investigation disclosures and charges that he had used more than \$300,000 of Teamster Union funds for personal matters.

"Whether Beck stole the funds or borrowed them," Meany said, "the record shows he took advantage of his position as a trade union official to use money belonging to dues-paying members for his own personal gain and profit."

Meany said Beck walked out of his trial before the Executive Council this morning after reading a 500-word statement rejecting the charges against him.

But "before he read his statement he listened to me for 20 minutes," Meany said.

Meany said he had summarized the charges for Beck and "I told him what I thought of his actions."

Floyd Reasons Dies at Home of a Daughter

Floyd Reasons died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Sanor May early Sunday morning.

He is survived by four children, Mrs. Sanor May of Hope; Sgt. Steve W. Reasons, U. S. Army, England; Lenore Reasons, Little Rock; three sisters, Mrs. Essie Thornton, Longview, Texas; Mrs. Ruby Clark, Shreveport, La.; Mrs. Clyde McGowan, Texarkana; one brother, Ervin Reasons, Demington, Washington.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at Pamos Baptist Church with Rev. Floyd Clark of Lewisville assisted by Rev. Wayne Turner.

Burial will be at Patmos Cemetery with Herndon-Cornelius officiating.

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a. m. Monday: High 80. Low 59. Total May precipitation 3.12 inches Total rainfall for year, 35.77 inches.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Arkansas (Monday-Saturday) — Temperatures will average near normal. Normal maximum 82, normal minimum 61. Cooler Wednesday or Thursday, otherwise minor day to day changes. Precipitation moderate to heavy in scattered showers and thunderstorms mainly about Wednesday and again about Saturday.

Arkansas Partly cloudy and warm through Tuesday. Local thunderstorms Tuesday. In north-west tonight. Turning cooler north-west Tuesday. Lowest in 60s tonight. Highest 75 to 85 Tuesday.

By The Associated Press

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| Miami | 78 75 |
| Memphis | 72 57 |
| New York | 58 49 |
| Chicago | 48 48 |
| Kansas City | 43 41 |
| San Francisco | 61 51 |

This Week Ike to Present Program

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst
WASHINGTON (AP) This is a big week for President Eisenhower and perhaps a confusing one for the public.

This week he sends a special message to Congress on his foreign aid program. Then in a nationwide broadcast explaining it,

he makes an indirect appeal for public support.

The confusion is in the arithmetic and the program itself.

Earlier this year the President without going into the details which he will provide in his special message asked Congress for \$4,400,000,000 in foreign aid or, as it has been called, mutual security.

Later when he saw Congress was going to trim foreign aid whether he liked it or not, he seemed to give ground in an effort to pacify the lawmakers.

He suggested that perhaps a little more than 500 million dollars could be chopped off his request, leaving it at \$3,880,000,000 for next year. That may turn out to be more illusion than reality, hasn't really chopped 500 million dollars which Congress previously voted for spending this year.

It won't be spent this year. And it can't be spent next year unless Congress approved it all over again.

So he may ask Congress to re-vote the 500 millions. If so, he hasn't really chopped 500 millions off the original request of \$4,400,000,000 for next year.

That's not the only confusing part of it.

The words "mutual security" have been like a blanket spread over all kinds of foreign aid, lumping it together. Because of this, and because parts of it overlap, Congress complains it's confused.

This is how the lumping is done.

Proclamation

"Wear a poppy in memory of America's war dead," is the appeal of the women of the American Legion Auxiliary (Leslie Huddleston Post) to every American on Poppy Day, Saturday May 25.

"Whereas, offering the little red poppy of member to all who will wear them in memory of those who died for us, and also showing respect to the living victims of the two World Wars, and Korean Conflict, disabled veterans and their families.

"Help to place a red poppy over every head on Saturday, May 25, as a symbol showing that the high ideals for which these brave strong men gave their lives still live and are honored.

"Put on the poppy in memory and help serve doubly in a wonderful cause;

Now therefore I, H. M. Olsen, Mayor of the City of Hope, do hereby declare Saturday, May 25, to be "Poppy Day" and call on all citizens to honor this day by wearing the little red poppy.

Signed, H. M. Olsen, Mayor of Hope

Arkansas Floods

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30,000, is located.

The river was five feet above flooding last night but residents said that the level would have to reach some eight feet above today's predicted 32-foot crest before either Fort Smith or Van Buren, across the river, would be threatened. Both cities are protected by levees.

The Arkansas was measured at 27.2 feet at 6 p.m. yesterday compared to Fort Smith's 22-foot flood stage.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said water one to six feet above flooding was expected this week at points downstream Ozark, Dardanelle, Morrilton, Little Rock and Pine Bluff. The crest was foreday morning.

OKLAHOMA CITY — (AP) The worst of the flooding but somewhat tamed Arkansas River moved into Eastern Oklahoma today having spared Tulsa and adjoining areas a major disaster.

Low water spilled into some lowland areas of Tulsa, and the town of Bixby had one and one-half feet of water in the downtown area last night. The river was expected back in its banks at both places today.

The flood crest was to pass near Muskogee this afternoon with only lowland flooding anticipated.

Hundreds of Oklahomans began the job of cleaning up damage caused by floods on the Arkansas, Washita and Cimarron and countless smaller streams. Clear skies prevailed yesterday.

State Civil Defense Director Tom Brett estimated damage from the four-day floods at 25 million dollars. Nine persons died.

Regional Civil Defense Administrator, Welcome W. Wilson promised one million dollars to start operations for disaster relief fund.

The Arkansas crested yesterday the predicted 30 feet.

Floodwaters and sewer backwaters soaked evacuated residential areas on both sides of the river.

The Civil Defense Transportation Corps, which helped clear the

with the following divisions of foreign aid all put under the same mutual security tent.

Direct military aid to friendly countries, meaning weapons; indirect military aid, or defense support, like money to friendly nations to help pay for their armies; loan and grants (gifts) to help other countries develop economically; and technical assistance, which means help to backward countries in such fields as health, education and farming.

Congress has called for changing or simplifying this hodgepodge to keep military aid distinct from the purely economic kind.

Eisenhower sees along with that. His administration has proposed that in the future military aid in its various forms should be made part of the total expenses of the Defense Department.

Then the strictly economic part of foreign aid could be presented to the Congress and the public as just that.

This would seem to have advantages for getting foreign aid in its various parts, through Congress with less struggle than the Truman and Eisenhower administrations have had so far.

Right now, when Congress and the public hear of a proposed foreign aid program of \$4,400,000,000, the immediate reaction is that's too much.

Actually the strictly economic part of foreign aid is always smaller than the military. Economic aid would account for only about one billion of Eisenhower's request. If the military aid in the future is tucked in with the rest of the Defense Department's expenses where it is less obvious, there will probably be less objection to the much smaller economic aid presented under the label.

At Bixby Highway Patrol Lt. Bill Mayberry estimated about 800 of 2,300 residents had flood damage to their homes.

The American Bible Society is one of the 24 national Bible societies throughout the world.

The first cathedral built on the mainland of the Americas was erected in 1510 at Santa Maria de la Antigua, Panama.

Scout Board

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active this school year. He pointed out that last Saturday the troop, under the supervision of Assistant Scoutmaster Richard Hoggard enjoyed an afternoon's camping, hiking and cooking session at the Experiment Station. "Even the rain added fun to the session," he said.

Famed artist Leonardo Da Vinci of The Eye experimented with contact lenses in 1508.

To build Two Plants at Poyen, Arkansas

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Plans for construction of two plants at Poyen, near Malvern, to utilize huge clay deposits there, have been announced.

George Bickel, who identified himself as the prospective president of a proposed Southwest Concrete Materials Co., said the company will be incorporated this week.

He said one of the plants will manufacture aggregate from the clay, and the other will produce finished products such as wall slabs and roof decks from the

Arkansas Group to Buy Berry Asphalt

MAGNOLIA (AP) — A newly formed Arkansas corporation has announced plans to buy the million-dollar Berry Asphalt Co.

W. C. Brestler of Magnolia, president of the Oil Investment Corp., said Saturday that his firm has options to purchase the Berry

aggregate. Each plant will employ 30 persons initially, Bickel said.

The clay deposits were recently discovered by the state Geological and Conservation Commission.

refineries at Waterloo, Nevada County, and Stephens, Ouachita County, as well as options on some 80 producing oil wells.

The purchase price will be approximately four million dollars, he said.

Other stockholders in Oil Investment, which was incorporated last Monday, are Dr. Joe F. Rush, Oliver Clegg, A. T. Van Pelt, J. R. Kern and Roger Smith, all of Magnolia; R. A. Lile and Edward Lester of Little Rock; L. A. Watkins of Harrison, and Walter Trulock III of Pine Bluff.

The Berry company presently is owned by Bird Son Inc., of Massachusetts.

The Real McCoy's

By Fred O. Ellis



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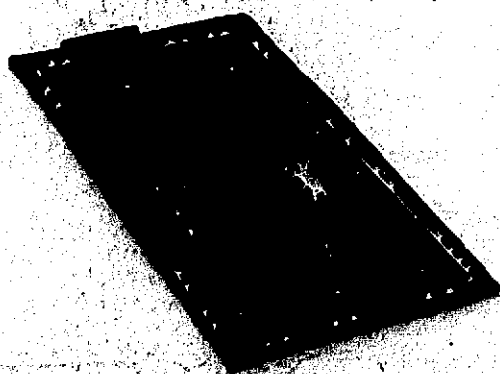
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Calendar

Monday May 20
Circle 5 WSCS of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday May 20 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Virgil Keeley with Mrs. Norman Bradford and Mrs. Lyle McMahen as co-hostesses.
Tuesday May 21
The Jayceettes will meet in the

home of Mrs. Buster Rogers, 508 East 14th St. on Tuesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Dale Dunn will be co-hostess, and all members are urged to be present.

Tuesday, May 21
Mrs. Helen McRae Barlow will present Judy Franks and Wayne Smith, senior organ students in an organ recital at the First Christian Church Tuesday evening May 21 at 8 o'clock.
The public is cordially invited.

Jett B. Graves Bible Study Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Tuesday evening May 21 at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Corbin Foster, Park Drive.

The V. F. W. will meet at the Hut at 7:30 Tuesday evening.

Whitfield Masonic Lodge 239 will confer a Masters Degree Tuesday night May 21, at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday May 26
Mrs. R. L. Gosnell will present her pupils in Piano Recital on Sunday afternoon, May 26, at 2:30 in the Junior High auditorium. The Public is invited.

Monday May 27
Miss Bess Evans will present her piano pupils in recital Monday evening at 7:30 in the High School Auditorium. Public is invited.

Iris Garden Club
Entertained in the J. M. May Home
The Hope Iris Garden Club met Tuesday afternoon May 14 at the home of the president, Mrs. J. M. May in Washington for its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. W. J. Stroud

was associate hostess for the meeting.

During the business session, presided over by Mrs. May, reports were heard from the various committees. Roll call was answered by, "Ways and Means to Hard- en Cut Flowers". Mrs. A. W. Martin was elected as secretary and Mrs. Floyd Crank was elected as Treasurer.

Mrs. C. P. Tolleson, Mrs. J. M. May and Mrs. A. W. Martin were appointed as delegates to represent the Iris Club at the meeting of the State Federation of Garden Clubs, meeting in Monticello on May 30 through June 1st.

Mrs. May was appointed to represent the club at a call meeting of the Hope chamber of commerce for the Clean-Up campaign. It was announced that the annual club breakfast would be held in June in the private dining room of the Diamond Cafe. Mrs. A. A. Albritton and Mrs. A. A. Halbert will be hostess at the breakfast.

Following the business session which was held on the Patio, members were invited indoors where a delightful dessert course was served with coffee. Miniature May baskets filled with colonial flower arrangements were given as favors. Mrs. Albritton won the door prize.

The group visited places of Historical interest in Washington and also visited Grey's Gardens at Ozan.

El Circulo Espanol
El Circulo Espanol of Hope High School met on May 17 and elected the following officers for the school year of 1957-58: President, David Pearson; first vice-president, Caryl Joy Myers; second vice-president, Anna Whitman; secretary, Charlotte Sasser; Treasurer, Kay Gresham; Historian, James Harris; Parliamentarian, Larry Baber; and reporter, Jean Harris.

Pineau Wants U. S. Answer on Canal Plan

By WILLIAM N. OATIS
UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP) — France sent Foreign Minister Christian Pineau to the U. N. Security Council today to protest Egypt's sole control of the Suez Canal. Pineau wants the operations plan revamped.

"We don't have big illusions on the results of the debate," Pineau told newsmen before leaving Paris by plane. "We intend essentially that the United Nations should state that the de facto situation of the canal is not final."

"We are not here to organize a new battle between Egypt and France," Pineau said, but France is seeking a definite statement and the U. N. is "the appropriate means to arrange for the possibility of negotiations between Egypt and the canal users."

Egypt's sole control is not good for the peace of the Middle East, he said, and it would be dangerous for peace if Egypt "chooses in the future to prevent use of the canal to one nation — France for instance."

"We prefer now, in a clear atmosphere, to discuss the problems. We are anxious for the future."

Pineau expected to meet Henry Cabot Lodge, head of the U. S. delegation, for a talk in advance of the Security Council meeting.

In asking for the renewal of debate, France had asked the 11-nation Council to "call upon Egypt to comply with the six principles"

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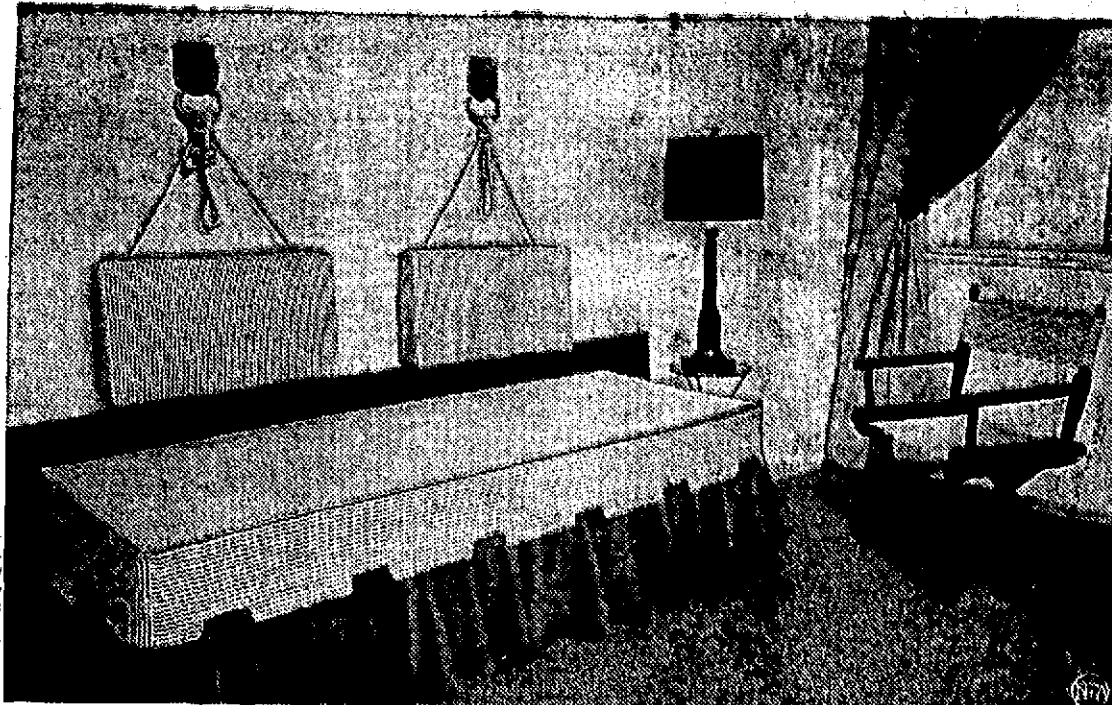
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Plucky Boy Now Wants to Go Fishing

MANORVILLE, N. Y. (AP) — Seven-year-old Benny Hooper Jr. says he feels better and wants to go fishing.

But first, said his doctors, he'll need another week or 10 days to shake off several respiratory ills.

Benny was trapped almost 24 hours in neck-high sand after he fell to the bottom of a narrow well in his back yard.

Rescuers pulled him from the 24-foot pit Friday evening.

Three doctors gave the blue-eyed boy a thorough examination at Bayview General Hospital in nearby Massie Beach yesterday.

"He's in no danger as far as we can see," said Dr. Joseph H. Kris. "He has a simple inflammation of the right lung, a simple inflammation of the bronchial tubes leading to that lung and a simple inflammation of the sinuses."

The lung inflammation, he added, is not pneumonia but pneumonitis, which is less serious.

Benny's temperature dropped to 100 last night from a high of 102.9 the night before. He was still in an oxygen tent.

The blond youngster made short work of a milkshake and a bowl of pudding for supper.

Earlier, his mother and father, his 6-year-old sister Wendy, and his grandparents visited him. That's when he brought up the subject of a fishing trip.

Widows and widowers comprise about 10 per cent of the door-to-door sales persons in the United States.

for operation of the canal that the Council approved last Oct. 13.

France is the only major nation still asking her shippers to boycott the canal. The French told the Council Egypt had failed to give "minimum guarantees concerning free transit through the canal" and asserted that Egypt's plan for operating the waterway was "in flagrant contradiction with the six principles."

Egypt is running the canal in accordance with a unilateral declaration deposited with the U. N. April 24 as an "international instrument." She opposes any further Council action, contending that the declaration conforms to the six principles.

Some delegates said most Council delegates thought no reaffirmation of the principles was needed. But one longtime observer of U. N. affairs nor that for the sake of a Western common front, Britain and the United States would vote for the resolution the French are expected to introduce — and "hope that the Russians will veto it."

Industry Has Big Stake in A-Tests

By JACK LEFLER
ATOMIC TEST SITE, Nev. (AP) — American industry has an estimated 2½-million-dollar stake in the atomic test series which awaits a go-ahead today from weather experts.

The first test firing, tentatively set for early today, was postponed again last night by adverse weather. It was the fifth consecutive daily cancellation.

Because of the military significance of the six-year-long nuclear experimentation program carried out on this southern Nevada test ground, the role of business some-

times sags from sight.

The products of everyday life — the materials your home is made of, the automobile you drive, the food you eat — are being tested under conditions of atomic attack to determine if they would protect you, transport you, sustain you.

"Industry participation in the atomic test series deserves special mention," says Harold L. Goodwin, chief of Civil Defense operation for the tests.

Mrs. Ward Hostess
Mrs. Guss McCaskill and Mrs. O. T. Hirst were added guests when Mrs. E. R. Ward entertained the 47 bridge club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Graceful arrangements of roses were placed at vantage points in the room.

The high score award was won by Mrs. O. W. Watkins. Other members included Mrs. Bob Reynolds, Mrs. J. B. Franks, Mrs. R. F. Yarberry, Mrs. B. A. DeLamar and Mrs. C. R. Troy.

A dainty dessert course was served.

Spiritual Life Group Meets
The Spiritual Life Group of the First Methodist Church met on Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. R. W. Hambright for the monthly meeting with twelve members present.

Mrs. Alfred DeBlack voiced the opening prayer and conducted the study on "Partners in Prayer." The meeting adjourned with prayer by Mrs. DeBlack.

Seniors Leave on Annual Tour
Thirty-nine seniors of Prescott High School accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Reginelli left today by Trailway bus for a six-day southern tour.

Their itinerary includes a first night stop at Jackson, Mississippi, the second at Mobile, Alabama, and the third stop at Biloxi, Miss., where they will take a boat ride to Ship Island. The fourth night will be spent in New Orleans, La., and the last night at Vicksburg, Miss. Enroute home they will visit the Bellingrath Gardens, the State Capitol at Baton Rouge, La., and will tour one antebellum mansion at Natchez, Miss.

Mrs. R. P. Hamby spent Wednesday in Fulton as the guest of her sisters, Mrs. J. J. Pattle and Miss Mattie Boyston.

Mrs. B. C. Stives was a Wednesday visitor in Hope.

Miss Joanne Lewis and Mrs. Paul Jones spent Wednesday in Texarkana.

DOROTHY DIX

G. I. Bride Votes for Cooperative Husbands

Dear Dorothy Dix: I met and married my GI husband when he was stationed in Germany, six years ago. Since coming to this country I have become thoroughly Americanized. I like just about everything here, especially your column. I notice many women have selfish husbands who won't help them get out once in a while at night. We have four children. My husband takes me out whenever we can get a baby sitter. When we can't afford one, he stays with the youngsters and sends me to the movies. Week ends he helps me with the work, and Sunday he gives the kids breakfast so I can stay in bed an hour longer.

A man who throws up the fact that he's the breadwinner and should do as he likes is to my mind very cheap. It takes cooperation to make a happy home.

KAREN
Dear Karen: This refutes the generally accepted theory that European wives coddle their GI husbands. Cooperation and consideration will make a happy marriage, whether international or domestic. The success of this union could set an example for a whole foreign policy.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My niece is being married next month. I have an invitation to the wedding and dinner but my sister (her mother) doesn't speak to me. Should I go?

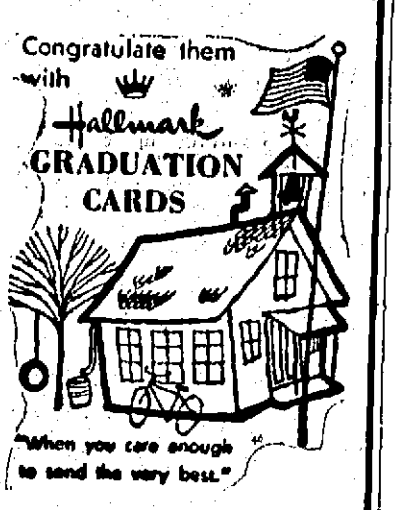
NELLIE
Dear Nellie: Since your sister sent the invitation, you can be assured that she wants you. She undoubtedly hopes that there will

News Briefs

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gerald T. LeFever, a widely-known advertising executive here, died at his home yesterday following a stroke. He was 56.

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas traffic accidents have killed 178 persons during the first four months of 1957 compared to 127 during the corresponding period last year, State Police headquarters announced here.

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That it was Henry Brooks Adam who wrote, "a friend in power is a friend lost."



Announces New Auto Policy For 'Careful Drivers' ... 44 Extra - Protection Features

State Farm Mutual agent here today explained a new broader-coverage policy with 44 extra-protection features offered at State Farm's famous "careful driver" rates.

The new features provide broader protection for every member of the family, offer "hit-and-run" protection, new auto accident medical benefits and many other features. Interested residents may learn more about this new State Farm protection by calling the agent listed below:

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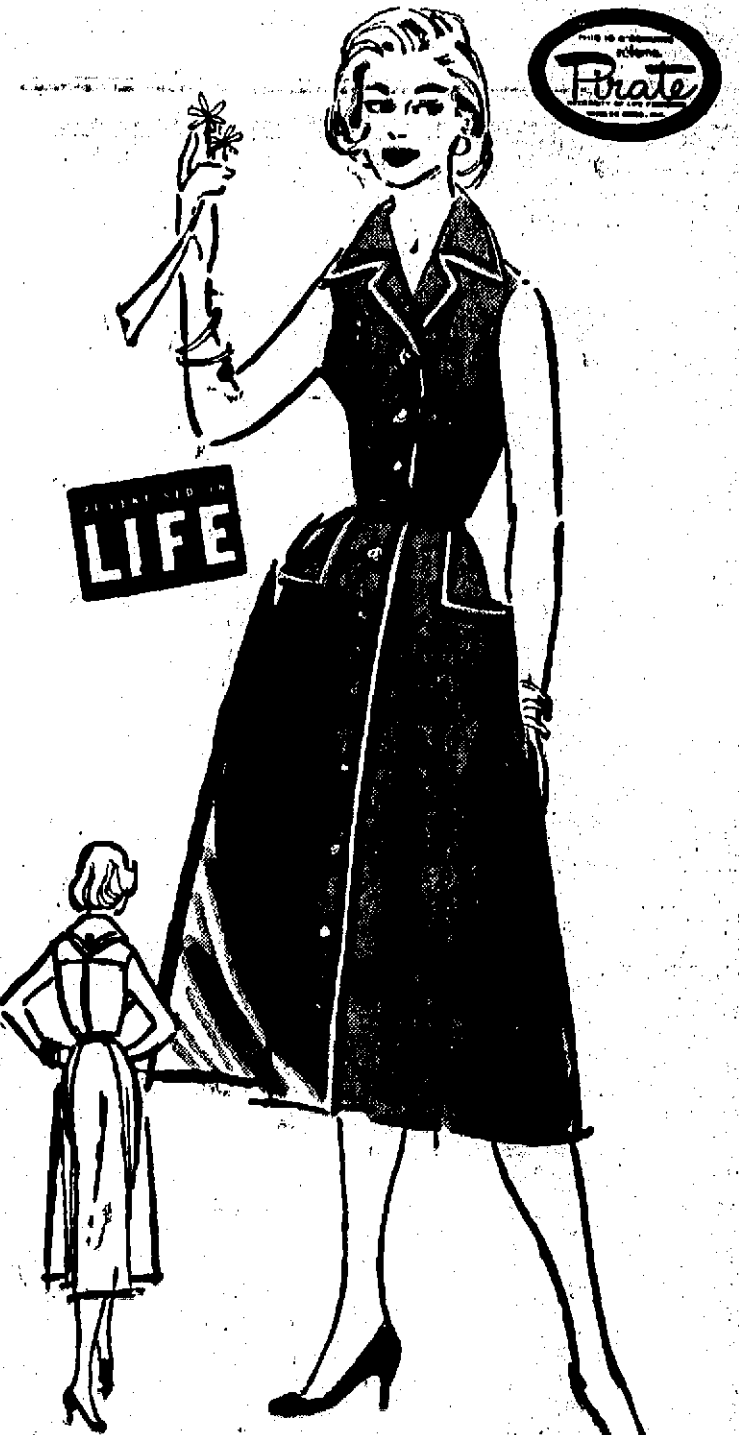
Needless to say that I have quite a bit of money in the pond known as the Hollis Luck pond, located back of the University Experiment Station. I hate to ask the public to please not ask me and to please not go out to fish the pond anymore. As you know, it is a small pond and want take long to fish it out at the rate it is going now.

I only wish it was large enough to accommodate everybody as it is very hard for me to turn down anybody, but if I give permission to one person, then the other person thinks I should do the same. Therefore, I am compelled to ask that you please abide by this, as I do not want to have to post same.

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A LONELY WALK

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By M. E. CHABON

CHAPTER XXV

"Really? How quaint. I think this is the first time I've ever had a man hunter here as my guest. You should enjoy the hunt tomorrow." Baron Gambero smiled.

"I suppose there is a certain similarity," I said.

"He may not enjoy it so much," Riccardo Balena said. "The boys can fight back."

"So can the others," I said.

"Signor March is right," Baron Gambero said. "As I'm sure he always is. Tell me, signore, what weapon do you use in your sport?"

"I prefer to use my brains," I said.

"A small arms man," Riccardo said with a sneer.

"Quiet, boy," the baron said without looking around. "I must be the host now, signore, but we must talk about this another time."

There were now close to 40 people in the room, roaming around with drinks in their hands or nibbling at bits of food. For the most part, they tended to cluster in small groups of four or five. I recognized a couple of Italian movie stars and over in one corner of the room there was a well-known Hollywood starlet.

I spotted someone else I knew. Mr. Albert Blaine, the man from the American Embassy, stood at one end of the table by himself.

He was gnawing delicately on a piece of fish. He had a drink in his hand, but he was holding it as if it might explode. I grinned and made my way over to him.

"Haven't we met before?" I asked gravely.

He wasn't amused. "Hello, March," he said. "By the way, I meant to ask you yesterday, how did you get invited here?"

"A very good question," I said. "To be perfectly truthful, I owe it all to the little woman."

"The son of the Minister of Interior," I murmured. "It seems that politics gets into everything, doesn't it?"

I saw something like a human expression in his eyes. "You might be interested in knowing that I had two phone calls about you just before I left Rome today."

"I'm just naturally popular," I said. "It comes from leading a

clean life."

"The first call," he said, "was made by an undersecretary of the Department. While he said that I should continue to keep a sharp eye on you, he also indicated that I was to do it gently and that there was probably a mistake in your being quoted by the Communist press."

"Sweet of him."

"The first call was made at 6 in the morning, New York time," he said. "The second came a half hour later. It was from J. P. Walker in New York. We're old friends. I don't think he's been up at 6:30 in the morning in 20 years, so he must have been up all night thinking. He wanted to tell me that you are a valuable man and that you are the victim of a grave political misunderstanding. He wanted me to give you every assistance I could."

J. P. Walker is the resident of the Intercontinental Company.

"Who are you, March?" Blaine asked irritably. "I've never known anyone to get away with the kind of stuff you pull."

"My father was actually the Last Dauphin of France," I said earnestly. "Aren't you supposed to be interested in what happens to American businessmen in Italy?"

"What are you driving at?"

"J. P. Walker. The Intercontinental Italian company is his baby. He has dreams of becoming an international insurance cartel. And he's started out by taking a royal

rooking."

"What do you mean?"

"He's been taken by an insurance ring in Rome."

"How do you know this?"

"I know," I said. "At this minute, I don't know about every single one of them, but I'll bet that 100 citizens of Rome have been persuaded to take out insurance and then have been murdered so that the ring could collect the dough."

Is the Pericoloso case part of this?"

"No," I said. "That's a different dish of tea. But she was murdered, too. And I wouldn't say that the murders aren't related."

"Look, March," he said, lowering his voice. "If these things are true, don't jump in like a romantic fool and try to show off by clearing everything up. You'll be stirring up things nobody can fix."

"Watch that blood pressure, Dad," I told him. "or you'll never live to collect your pension. Don't worry about it. The police are already in on it, even if they don't know it."

"Rbecca?" he asked.

"Why do you ask that?"

"You were with him last night and the night before; I told you we were keeping an eye on you."

"Were you watching all the time last night?"

"No. Why? What were you up to?"

"Just digging up some dirt," I said truthfully. "Just relax. Your fate is in good hands."

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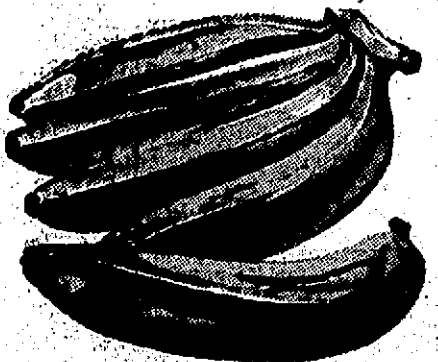
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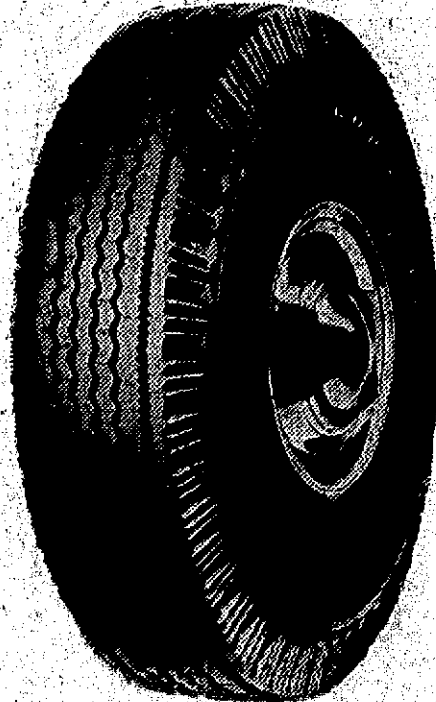
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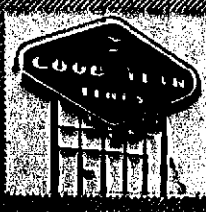


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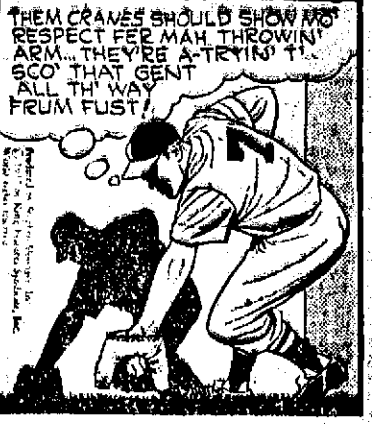
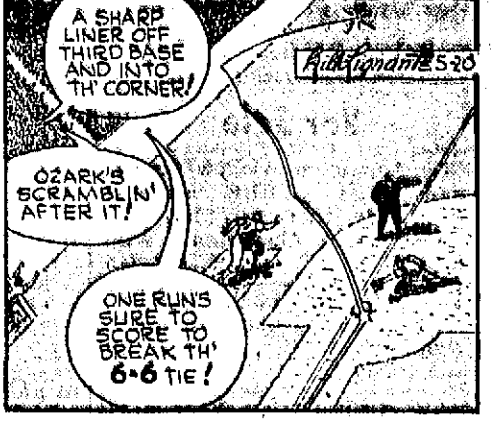
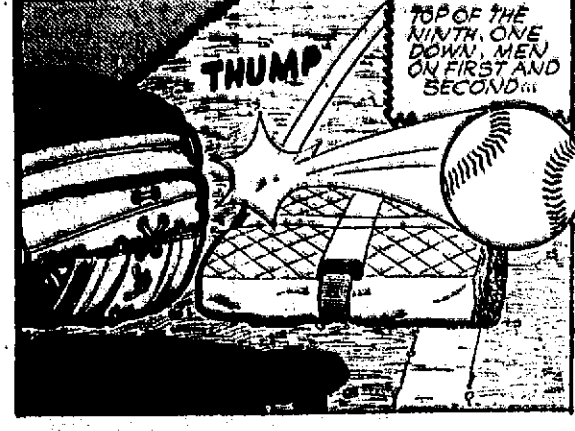
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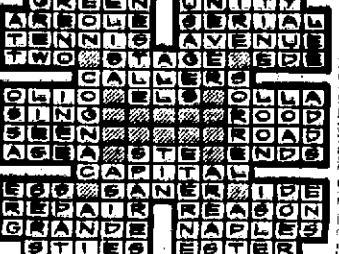
ACROSS

- Roman statesman
- Author, Ferber
- Pitcher
- Magie
- Eve's husband
- Prophet
- Star
- Managers
- Number
- Platform
- Condemning
- virumque cano
- Educational organization (ab.)
- "The hatter"
- Comparative suffixes
- Aleutian island
- Feminine appellation
- Straightens
- Holy
- Shoe part
- Poker stake
- Enervates
- Winken, Blinken and
- Individual
- Peruse
- Calmer
- Under (poet.)
- Uncle Tom's pet
- Ballet position
- for tat
- Actor
- Franchot
- Turkish river
- Drink made with malt
- Italian city

DOWN

- Writer, George
- Scoundrels
- Mine entrance
- "Harp that once through s' halls"
- Greek letter
- Superlative
- Kind of cedar
- Fiddling
- Roman emperor
- Malicious
- At the cloying point
- Arabian gulf
- Louisiana's Huey
- Shade of red
- Honey drinks
- Deceits
- Plateau
- Actor
- Ladd
- College degree
- Stalk
- 30 Far (prefix)
- Employed
- Dancer
- Castle
- Demented
- Insect
- Flagrant
- Growing out
- Writing tables
- Caterpillar
- hair
- Wicked
- Love god
- Water (Latin)
- Veer
- Fashion expert, Edith

Answer to Previous Puzzle



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Whinn



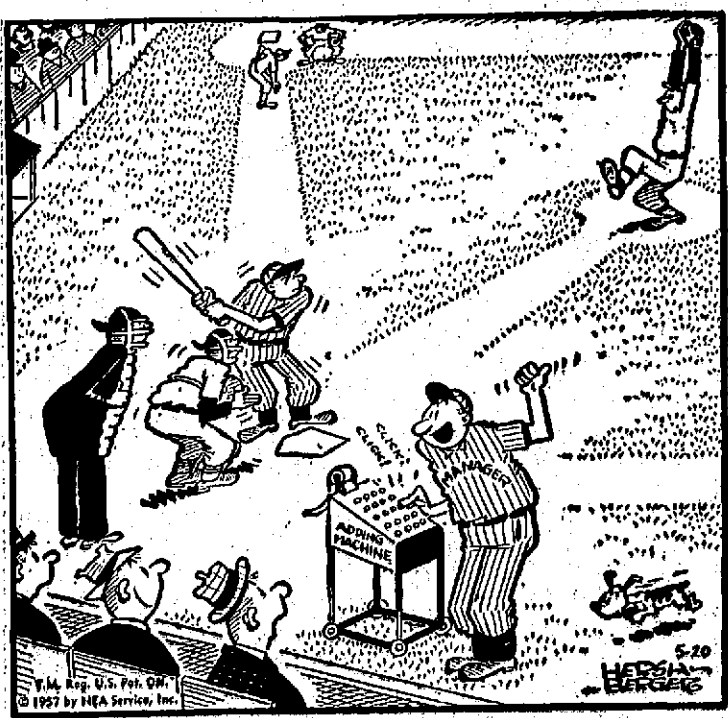
OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Meier Hooble



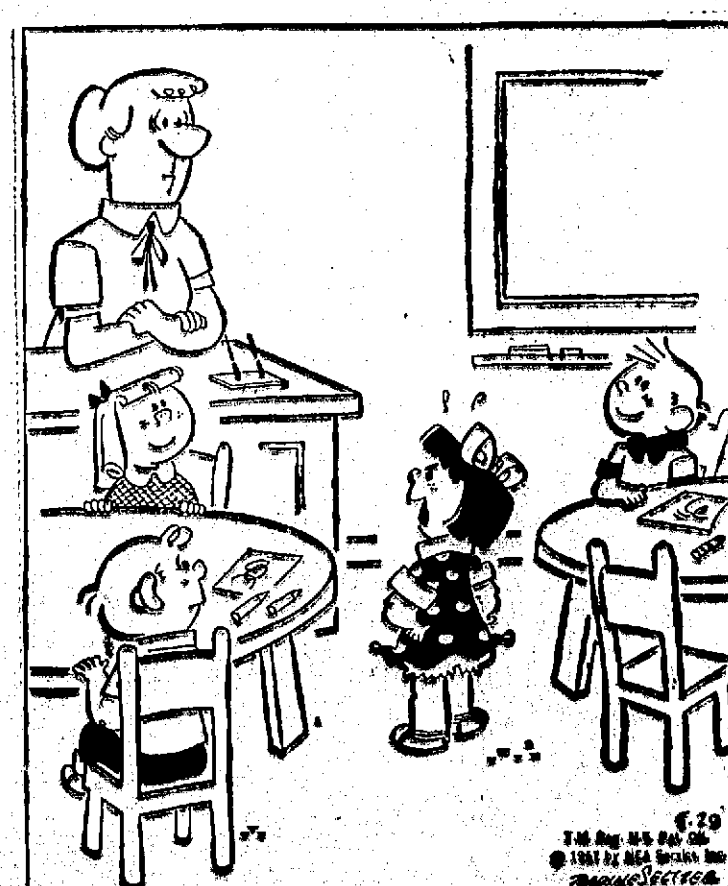
FUNNY BUSINESS

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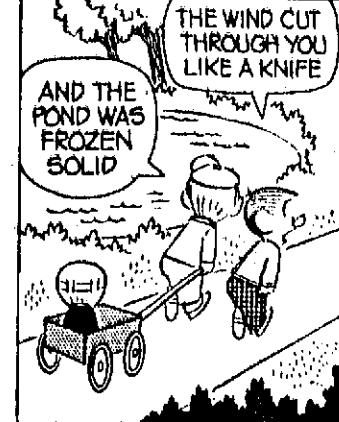
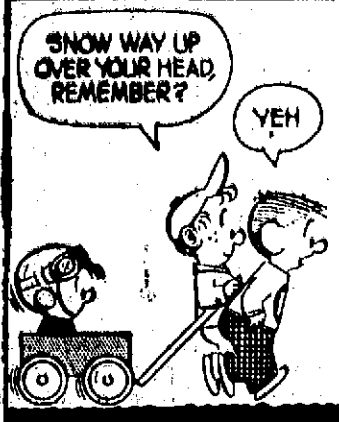


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MORTY MECKLE



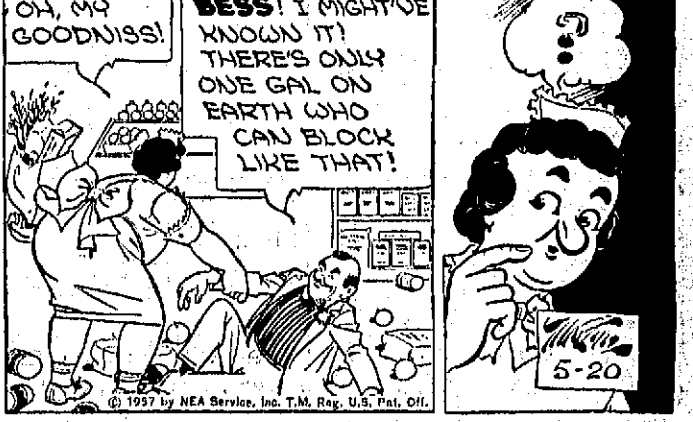
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WASH TUBS



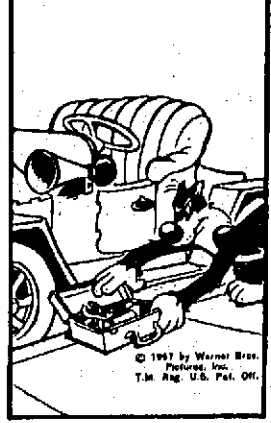
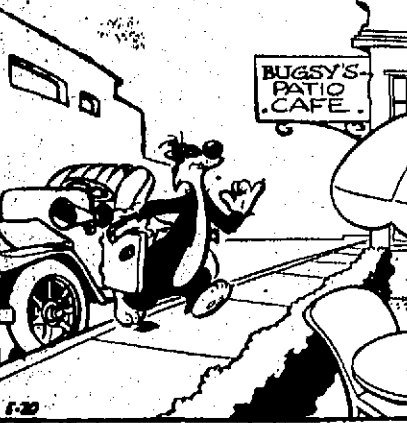
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MOTY AND HER BUDDIES

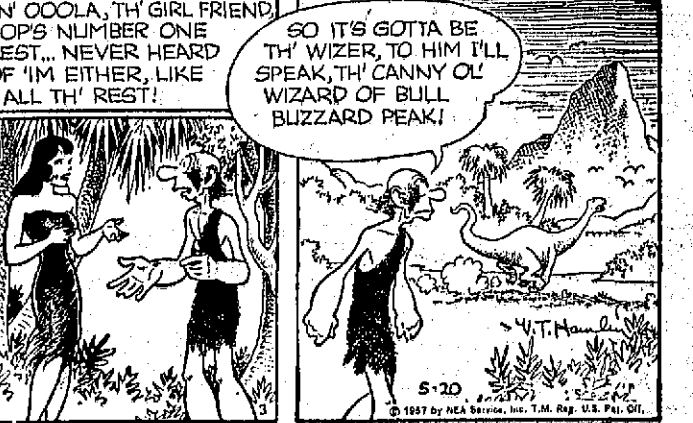
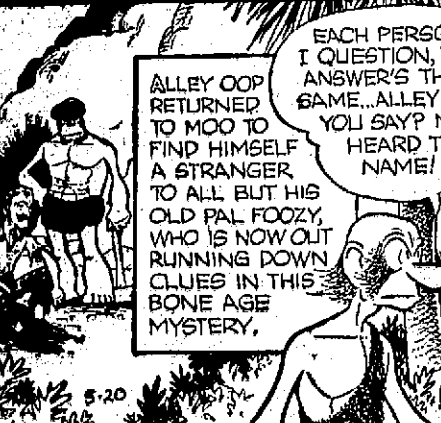


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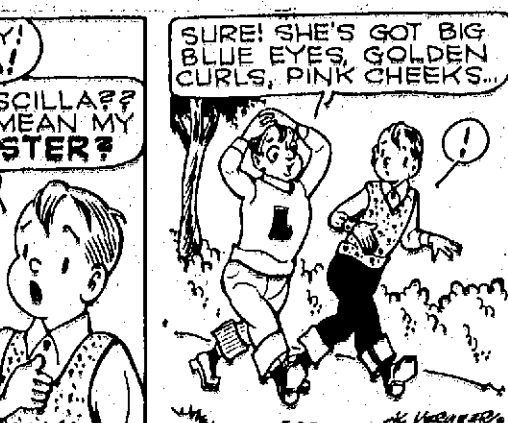
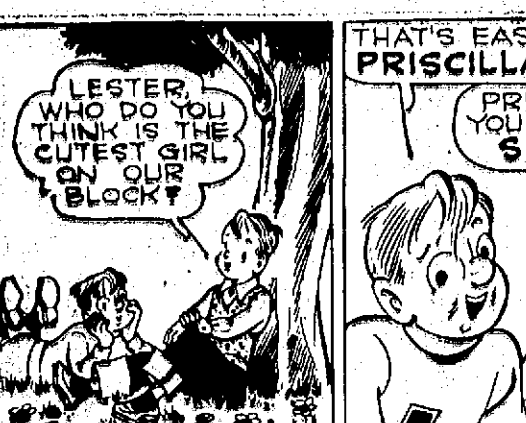
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